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Dear parents and Guardians:

As the 2023-2024 school year draws to a close, it is my pleasure to present to you our 2023 Summer Reading Assignment. Summer reading is an important activity for your child's intellectual growth and development, as it encourages students to continue learning while still providing them with fun and enjoyment. What helps make reading entertaining for children is allowing them the freedom to choose books that speak to their unique interests.

As part of our Summer Reading Program students may choose any book—approved by a parent—within their reading level to complete their project. Parents are welcome to take their child to the Vineland Public Library at 1058 East Landis Avenue, where the librarians there will assist all students with finding books within their grade level. Parents may also consult the following sites to find an appropriate book for their child.

Scholastic Book Wizard Barnes & Nobles Vineland Library

All incoming first through sixth grade Vineland Public Charter School students are required to read at least one book AND complete the attached assignment for their grade level. Copies of this assignment will also be available on our school website at www.vinelandpubliccharterschool.org.

DUE DATE: ALL projects are due **Friday, September 15th** and will count towards a project grade for the first quarter for the 2023-2024 school year.

Incoming Grade 5: Write a 5-paragraph summary of your book. It may be handwritten OR typed.

- Compare your book to another book you have read. Include key details such as characters, setting, important events, and central message or theme. Include evidence from the text. (fiction)
- * Include the main idea and key details. Explain how the details support the main idea. Include evidence from the text. (informational)

Incoming Grade 6: Write a 5-paragraph summary of your book. It may be handwritten OR typed.

- * Compare your book to another book you have read. Include key details such as characters, setting, important events, and central message or theme. Include evidence from the text. (fiction)
- * Include the main idea and key details. Explain how the details support the main idea. Include evidence from the text. (informational)